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Inspection at El Paso, Tex.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Alexander reports, January 2, as follows: Week ended January 2, 1904. Mexican Central passengers inspected, 166; Mexican immigrants inspected, 70; Mexican laborers imported in bond inspected, 35; soiled linen imported for laundry disinfected, 429 pieces; children of immigrants vaccinated, 8.

Inspection at Laredo, Tex.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Hamilton reports, through Acting Assistant Surgeon Frick, January 4 and 7, as follows: Week ended January 2, 1904. Passenger trains inspected, 14; passengers inspected, 486; immigrants inspected, 59; immigrants vaccinated, 19; Pullman cars disinfected, 7.

Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.

GEORGIA—*Augusta*.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 43,441. Total number of deaths, 79, including enteric fever 1, whooping cough 2, and 2 from tuberculosis.

Columbus.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 19,303—white, 10,276; colored, 9,027. Total number of deaths, 20—white, 4; colored, 16—including 2 from phthisis pulmonalis.

ILLINOIS—*Peoria*.—Month of December, 1903. Census population, 56,100. Total number of deaths 69, including diphtheria 6, and 6 from tuberculosis.

Springfield.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 40,000. Total number of deaths 59, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 13 from phthisis pulmonalis.

MAINE—*Biddeford*.—Two weeks ended January 2, 1904. Census population, 16,145. One death. No mortality from contagious disease.

MARYLAND—*Cumberland*.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 47, including diphtheria 2, enteric fever 2, and 4 from tuberculosis.

MASSACHUSETTS—*Newton*.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 37,794. Total number of deaths, 38, including 4 from tuberculosis.

MICHIGAN.—Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, for the week ended January 2, 1904, from 75 observers, indicate that diarrhea, diphtheria, meningitis, measles, and cholera infantum were more prevalent, and erysipelas, intermittent fever, whooping cough, smallpox, inflammation of bowels, and remittent fever were less prevalent than in the preceding week.

Meningitis was reported present at 5, whooping cough at 10, measles at 35, diphtheria at 52, enteric fever at 57, smallpox at 65, scarlet fever at 96, and phthisis pulmonalis at 186 places.

MONTANA—*Helen*.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 13,000. Total number of deaths not reported. No deaths from contagious diseases reported.

NEW HAMPSHIRE—*Concord*.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths 36, including diphtheria 1, and 3 from tuberculosis.

Franklin.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 6,000. Total number of deaths 14, including diphtheria 1, scarlet fever 4, and 1 from tuberculosis.

NEW YORK.—Reports to the State board of health, Albany, for the month of November, 1903, from 156 cities, towns, and villages, having an aggregate population of 7,614,281, show a total of 10,009 deaths, including diphtheria 323, enteric fever 165, measles 48, scarlet fever 64, whooping cough 37, and 1,076 from phthisis pulmonalis.

NEW YORK—*Saratoga*.—Month of December, 1903. Census population, 12,119. Total number of deaths, 15, including 1 from diphtheria.

NORTH CAROLINA—*Charlotte*.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 30,000. Total number of deaths, 49, including enteric fever 3, and 6 from tuberculosis.

PENNSYLVANIA—*Altoona*.—Month of December, 1903. Census population, 38,973. Total number of deaths, 77, including diphtheria 7, enteric fever 1, scarlet fever 2, smallpox 2, and 9 from tuberculosis.

Dunmore.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 15,000. Total number of deaths, 14, including 1 from tuberculosis.

Pottsville.—Month of December, 1903. Estimated population, 17,210. Total number of deaths, 24, including 1 from diphtheria.

Report of immigration at Boston.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,
Boston, Mass., January 2, 1904.

Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended January 2, 1904; also names of vessels and ports from which they came.

Date of arrival.	Vessel.	Where from.	Number of immigrants.
1903.			
Dec. 27	Republic	Liverpool, England	86
30	Admiral Farragut	Port Antonio, Jamaica	0
27	Boston	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	145
31	Cestrian	Liverpool, England	2
31	Boston	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	107
31	Halifax	Halifax, Nova Scotia	44
1904.			
Jan. 2	Bostonian	Manchester, England	0
	Total		384

GEO. B. BILLINGS, *Commissioner*.